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In re Application of:)
Fischer, et al.)
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For: Low-Emission Floor Covering)
Examiner: Dicus, Tamra
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Sir:

In response to the final Office Action mailed March 7, 2006, in the above-identified application, a response which is due July 7, 2006, by virtue of the petition for a one-month extension of time filed herewith, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.

Conclusion is on page 12 of this paper.

I hereby certify that all correspondences listed above are being deposited for delivery to the above addressee with the United States Postal Service, as First Class mail in an envelope with sufficient postage addressed to: Mail Stop AF, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on July 5, 2006.

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